



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3412**
Minoru OHARA : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0942A
Serial No. 10/500,961 : Group Art Unit 1792
Filed July 8, 2004 : Examiner Katherine A Bareford

THERMAL BARRIER COATING METHOD,
MASKING PIN AND COMBUSTOR
TRANSITION PIECE : **Mail Stop: RCE**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 22, 2008, the period for response having been extended for two months by the attached petition, Applicant herein provides the following amendments and remarks.